GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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WORLD BANK AID TO GUJARAT
GORDHANBHAI JAVIA

Will the Minister of FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a): whether World Bank and Asian Development Bank had given 498 croresto the Gujarat State for relief and rehabilitation programme of earthquake effected areas; and

(b): if so, the total amount utilised, programme-wise and area-wise so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY)

(a): No, Sir. The total amount of Rs. 1580.57 crores has been released to Gujarat during 2001-02 for relief and rehabilitation programme of earthquake affected areas against releases from World Bank and Asian Development Bank.

(b): Government of India released an amount of Rs. 372 crores as anadvance installment and the rest Rs.1208.57 crores on reimbursement basis, against actual claims lodged by State Government. The relief and rehabilitation are being carried out in all the earthquake affected areas in Gujarat.